THE BIG WATER MAIN.

Engineering Difficulties Overcome-

Gen. Boynton Praises the Work. Washington Correspondence of the Cincinnati Com-

mercial-Gazette. The Commercial-Gazette was prominent in exposing the frauds in construction which led to the abandonment of the most notorious Washington aqueduct tunnel after it had cost the country and the District of Columbia over a million dollars each. It has, therefore, kept a close watch on the substitute work, the great 48-inch main, which has been in progress since last August, and which is already on the eve of completion.

Just in porportion to the sweeping and just condemnation of the former work and management is the praise which is due to all concerned in the present project. The prompt and thorough preparations and the rapid and excellent execu on reflect great credit upon the corps of engineers, and will go far toward removing the unfavorable impressions which were wide y though unjustly visited upon this corps. For, a matter of fact, this most competent and distinguished corps was not respon-sible for the tunnel project or its fraudulent

In the present work the chief of engineers. Gen. Casey, has shown what can be done, Selecting his men, first Col. John M. Wilson, and when the latter was ordered to West Point, Col. George H. Elliot, vigorous measure were adopted to do what Congress directed, namely, to complete in the shortest possible time the new project for increasing the water supply of Washington.

FOUR MILES OF MAIN. The plan was to lay considerably over four miles of 48-inch main heavy enough to be safe under the pressure due to 100 feet of head. In connection with this there was to be laid a mile of 30-inch main. Connections were to be made with the system of pipes now in use at each of about forty street crossings, and these mains were to be carried through, under or over all the subterranean obstructions of longestablished city streets. Each length of the great main weighs nearly five tons, and the valves for closing it at suitable intervals weigh

eight tons and a half. The moment Col. Wilson received assurances from members of the committee that Congress would appropriate the \$575,000 estimated as the cost he sent word to all the establishments able to turn out such castings that the moment he could legally do so he would be ready to solicit bids. Thus all preliminaries were arranged before the appropriation bill passed, and when it was signed there was no other de-lay than the legal advertising required and the opening bids and awarding contracts. The work of laying the mains began under Col. Elliot about the middle of last August. The autumn was very stormy. The winter has been open and almost continually fit for out door work. Up to the 1st of February there had been 118 working days and in that time there has been laid almost four miles of the big main and over one mile of the 30-inch pipe. Less than half a mile remains to complete the work. It will then be finished several months within the allotted time, and what is equally creditable for about ₹125,000 less than the esti-

REMARKABLE ENGINEERING.

The management has at several points been remarkable in its methods of execution. Although the mains weigh four tons for each the obstacles encountered demanded. One use of these arms was to run the line around several beautiful shade trees that otherwise would have been sacrificed. If all public officers would follow Col. Elliot's example in caring for trees it would be commendable. There was one part of the work which re-

quired very delicate and peculiar treatment and which shows some of the resources of modern engineering. For some distance the trench for the main had to be laid along a narrow road which had itself been carried through solid rock. Under each side of it were trenches sunk in the rock by blasting for the old mains which now supply the city, and the distance between them was only a few inches more than the diameter of the big main. It was decided to blast out a trench for the latter between the other two, and to do it without shutting off the water from them.

The operation of blasting out this rock within

hes of the old mains running full of water under 100 feet of pressure, and on which the present supply to the city depends, was a most delicate one and it required a good deal of confidence and courage to undertake it. The breaking of either one of these mains would have cut off one-half the present supply to Washington, and in case of a large fire happening in the city before the main could be paired the result would have been most disastrous. The method of operations may be thus described. The trenches which had been blasted out of the rock for the old mains were a little wider than the mains themselves, and the earth having been removed from the narrow spaces between the wall of rock and the mains on each side, they were filled with as many thicknesses of boards as was possible. and in this way an elastic cushion was formed, and so effectual was it in preventing the shocks of the blasts of the dynamite from reaching the mains that not even a leak at the joints was

caused by them. AT THE GATE HOUSE.

The works about the gate house can not be described in a brief letter. They are on a scale which makes a deep impression upon nonprofessional observers and which elicit the combined praise of the latter class. Col. Elliot has not only added to his already brilliant reputation as an engineer, but he has both the Congress and the citizens of Washington under asting obligations for so promptly relieving the prolonged water famine of the city. Thus a great public work when pushed under the direct auspices of the chief of engineers by an his choosing has been completed within the set time and at a cost of only threefourths of the estimates. This is the record as sgainst the tunnel scheme which had cost a million over the estimates at the time it was abandoned and which was then far from completed and yet several years behind the contract fixed for its completion.

THE G.A.R. ENCAMPMENT. Visit of the Commander-in-Chief-The Encampment to Open this Evening.

Commander-in-Chief Russell A. Alger of the G.A.R. arrived in this city Saturday, as stated | Hooker, in THE STAR, to be present at the annual encampment of the department of the Potomac Parker of Rochester. that commences today. He went to Calumet Place as the guest of Mrs. Logan. The adju- | Stanton. tant general of the G.A.R. also came on from Detroit to be present at the encampment. The encampment will meet at G.A.R. hall this evening at 6:30 o'clock. The commander, with his staff, will hold a reception during the course of the evening, and afterward a banquet will

be tendered him at Willard's. This morning Gen. Alger came in from Mrs. Logan's home and took apartments at the Arlington. He will make his headquarters there during the remainder of his stay. To-morrow night he will be entertained at a banquet in Baltimore by the Maryland department of the Grand Army. A special car will be attached to the train which leaves this city him. One was to give the young people true light on the subject in the school house, where at 5:30 tomorrow afternoon in order to accommodate the guests from here who have been make a crusade on the south. He advised them invited to the banquet. Among those who have received invitations are the President, the general of the army, the Grand Army members of the cabinet and the Senate and a number of prominent soldier member of the House of tepresentatives.

Will Go to the Grand Jury.

"In the case of the Rev. Mr. Williams," said Gen. Carrington in the Police Court this morning. "I desire to offer bail for him." A colored man from Uniontown appeared to go on his He Gave Bad Advice and Suffers for it. bond, but his property was not worth enough and so he was rejected. Williams is the man who is charged with having forged the name of Gen. Green B. Raum, as published in Saturday's STAR. Gen. Carrington and Lawyer Moss, as counsel for Williams, waived an examination and bail was fixed at \$500.

The "Gondoliers" Coming.

Washingtonians will have an opportunity of hearing Gilbert and Sullivan's "Gondoliers" next week, when Mr. John Stetson's company will appear at Lincoln music hall. The cast includes Bettina Padelford of this city, who has made a marked success in the role of Cassigo. Sale of seats begins Thursday. TOASTING ST. SUSAN.

How Miss Anthony's Birthday Was Celebrated.

PAMOUS WOMEN WHO SAT BESIDE HER AT A BAN-QUET-HER SEVENTY YEARS OF LIFE-SENATOR BLAIR RECOMMENDS A WOMAN'S CRUSADE IN THE

as if she should be the lord chief justice, with

her white hair puffed all over her head, and her

sat near Mrs. Stanton. Old John Hutchinson.

as ever gathered around a banquet board.

THE RECEPTION.

the red parlors of the Riggs, where a levee was

held and congratulations were showered upon

the line was formed and the guests marched

and looped with a bow of yellow ribbon-the

THE GUESTS.

Susan B.'s sister; the brother, Col. D. B. An-

thony, with his wife and daughter, from Leaven-

Henry Willis and Mrs. Parker; Mrs. Laura

Senator and Mrs. McDonald of Indiana, the

Mrs. Lippincott and Mrs. Holmes of Illinois,

Mrs. Rachel Foster Avery of Philadelphia

Representative Candler and wife of Massachu

setts. Representative Baker and wife, Mrs

Senator Blair, Mr. A. A. Mosher, Mr. C. F. Meadow, Miss Anna McLean Marsh, Mrs. Ida

Alice E. H. Peters, Mr. Peters, Mrs. Charlotte

J. Pierce, Hon. F. W. Blackwell and lady, Dr.

Grace Roberts, Mrs. Eliza Richardson, Mrs. F.

C. Smith, Mrs. Louise Sinthworth, Dr. Emily

Sergeant, Lucian Squiers, Mrs. Jane Snow, Mrs. Dora B. Smith, Mrs. A. T. Taggart, Miss

Adeline M. Thomson, Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton. Mrs. Sarah H. Willis, Mrs. Jane Willis,

Mrs. Eliza T. Ward, Mrs. John Wilbor, Mrs.

Dr. Caroline A. Winslow, Mrs. George H. Wallace, Mrs. C. P. Wallace, Mrs. Warin, Mary H. Williams, John Van Voorheis, Miss Thomas,

Mrs. Ellen Frances Burr, Col. and Mrs. Fair.

Mrs. Florence Huntley, Rev. Frederic A. Hinck-ley, R. M. Purvis, jr., Miss Pepper, Mrs. F. M. Rayne, Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton, C. W. Spofford, Mrs. Jane H. Spofford, Miss Sorow,

Alonza Woodall, Mrs. Gerelda G. Wallace, Rev.

A. Kent and Mrs. Kent, Miss Kate Field, Miss

Jennings, C. W. Macone, N. J. Dunning, Miss McCarthy, Mrs. L. Boardman Smith, William O. Arnold, Miss Archibald, Miss Clara

Barton, E. Henry Blunt, Lucia Blunt, Mrs. Wm.

Beemish, Mrs. F. L. Blankenburg of Philadel-

phia, Mrs. E. J. Bartol of Philadelphia, Miss Braegler, Miss Olivia Briggs, Mrs. Baker, Mrs.

N. T. Benis, Miss Ada Bittenbeneler, Mrs.

Mrs. James Cameron, Mrs. M. G. Caley of Rochester, N.Y., Mrs. L. A. Crandall, Miss

Melissa Dickenson of Chicago, Dr. Fannie Dickenson of Chicago, Charles Dicken-son of Chicago Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Doolittle, Dr. Susan Edson, Caroline McC.

Everhard, Mary E. Emery, Ida E. Edson, Mrs.

Susan A. M. Fawcett, Mrs. Wm. Lloyd Garrison, Mrs. Emma W. Gillette, Mrs. M. A. Good-

win, Mrs. Matilda Joslyn Gage, Miss Edith Hawley, Miss Carrie Harrison, Dr. Mary Hussey

of New Jersey, Mrs. Mary Seymour Howells, Mrs. T. E. Hatch of Boston, Emily P. Hart, Mrs.

L. A. Hatch of Boston, Mrs. Delia M. James, Mr. H. E. James, Mrs. Edith James, Mrs. Louisa M. Johns of Kansas, Mrs. L. M. Kimball, Mr. W. B. Dougall, Miss Adelaide Johnson, Miss Eliza-

beth Johnson, Mrs. M. V. Johnson, Miss Emily

B. Ketcham, Mrs. Fannie Lawler, Mrs. Virginia

ler, Mrs. S. T. Miller, Mrs. Mary McDowell,

low the other feast. The menu was:

H. Shaw.

Stanton Blatch

Joslyn Gage.

T. Minor, Mrs. E. M. S. Marble, Mrs. Helen Mil-

THE TOASTS.

ehindhand, but not too late for service."-

"The Modern Peripatetic," by the Rev. Anna

"Miss Anthony as Fellow Worker," by M.

ton Chant of England.
"Miss Anthony as a Journalist"—Clara B.

Poem, "Auld Lang Syne," by Isabella Beecher

"The Friendship of Women," by Mrs.

Hannah Boyles, Mrs. A. D. Brooks, Miss

Henrietta H. White, Mr. White, Miss White,

H. Stowl of Toronto, Mrs. Caroline Sherman, Sarah Winthrop Smith, Mrs. George E. Seeney,

there were from all parts of the country.

Miss Anthony. It was after 10 o'clock when

Before the banquet the guests assembled in

cost of \$263,000. The toast was "St. Susan." All drank to it-The permits in detail are as follows: Twentyin cold water-and Phœbe Couzins made the two brick dwellings, from 900 to 942 T street speech. Susan B. Anthony sat at the left of northwest, \$110,000; nine brick dwellings, from Senator Blair, and a company of the most re-1822 to 1838 9th street, \$48,000; twenty-one markable women in the world were assembled. brick dwellings, from 903 to 943 Westminster street, \$105,000. The houses will all be erected The seventieth birthday of Miss Anthony was on the old circus lot on 9th street between S and T. The owner, Mr. Schneider, is the architect and Darby & Davis the builders. celebrated by a dinner at the Riggs Saturday evening. As she sat there, surrounded by the skirted knights of her long crusade, Miss Anthony looked no older than fifty, but she had MUDDY POTOMAC WATER. got a good start into the first day of her seventy-first year before the dinner came to a close. Cause. All the famous woman suffragists were assembled there to do her honor. Mary Wright Sewell presided over the banquet. Elizabeth Cady Stanton, that venerable and beautiful old stateswoman, sat at the right of Senator Blair, looking

Captain Lusk Tells a Star Reporter the A great many complaints are being received at the District buildings on account of the muddy water which comes through the service pipes. When a STAB reporter called upon Capt.

FIFTY-TWO NEW HOUSES.

One Man Takes Out a Permit for Their

Erection at a Cost of \$263,000.

The largest number of permits to build

amiable and intellectual face marked with the lines of wisdom. Isabella Beecher Hooker, of the District, for the reason that gentleman said: whose face reminds one of her great brother, "Yes, I understand there is much complaint with the stamp of genius on her brow, a bunch of white curls hanging at the back of her head and a wild energy of intellect exfrom consumers on account of the bad condition of the Potomac water, but this department has nothing to do with it, and therefore cannot pressed upon her face, sat at the left of Miss remedy the existing state of affairs. The Anthony, and a little further on sat the daughter of Mrs. Stanton, Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch. Clara B. Colby and Phebe Couzins trouble seems to be," continued the captain. "that the connection of the new 48-inch main with the lower reservoir necessitates the emptythe last of the famous singing family, his white ing of the latter, and the water necessary to hair and white beard forming a fringe about supply the city comes directly from the river, his shoulders; Clara Barton, her breast sparkvithout having a chance to settle, so you see ing with Red Cross medals, and a hundred and fifty other women of wide fame were there. It the degree of clearness depends upon the condition of the river. I do not know how long this condition of affairs will continue, but I am was as interesting and striking an assemblage of the impression that everything will be

Vashington will have clearer water." THE WOMAN'S CONVENTION. Members of the Two Associations Meet Today in Joint Session.

down to the dining room, Miss Anthony, on the arm of Senator Blair, leading the way. About two hundred and fifty people formed the com-This morning at 10 o'clock the members o pany and the women could have outvoted the the American woman suffrage association held men about three to one. The dining room was decorated from the ceiling to the floor with secret executive session in the parlors of the Riggs house, preliminary to the conflags and streamers. A long table, handsomely vention which begins tomorrow. decorated, was placed on an elevated platform National woman suffrage association held lengthwise of the room near the east wall for the honored guest of the occasion and those similar meeting this morning in parlor who were given the honor of seats near her. In front of this table and filling all the avail-27 of the Riggs house. At 2:30 this afternoon the two association came together and able space in the large dining hall were arranged little tables, seating from five to eight | held a united meeting, the first in the history persons, each table crowned by some graceful of the two organizations. They have always held a united meeting, the first in the history potted plant. At each plate was a menu card been working along the same lines and with the with a spray of golden rod painted on its face same objects in view, but under different officers and with somewhat different methods. color of the cause. The women assembled | The convention this week is the first of the two in union and may result in a closer connection between them for the future. Among the guests were Miss Mary Anthony,

For an Inebriate Home. The managers of the mass meeting to be held

tomorrow evening at the Metropolitan M. E. worth, Kan., and Miss Lucy Anthony, a niece, church in favor of legislation to establish a From Rochester, Miss Anthony's birthplace, were Mrs. Sarah Willis, Mrs. Mary Hallwell, home and hospital for inebriates in this city Mrs. Post Beamish, Mr. and Mrs. Sargent, Mrs. expect a large attendance and interesting addresses. The meeting will be held under the Ormiston Chant of England, Mr. Robert Purauspices of the Good Templars, but all who are vis of Pennsylvania, the Rev. Anna H. Shaw of interested in the proposed movement have Boston, Gen. J. A. Pickler of South Dakota, been invited to co-operate. Justice W. S. Cox the Rev. F. A. Hinckley of Massachusetts, Sen-ator Plumb of Kansas, Mrs. Seney of Ohio, exof the Supreme Court will preside and Dr. W. W. Godding, Rev. W. A. Bartlett, D.D., District Commissioner J. H. Douglass, Hon. J. J. Hempwife of Judge Scofield, Senator Hawley's wife, hill of South Carolina and B. H. Warner, esq. will deliver addresses.

The Proposed University Club. The District alumni of the University of Virginia will meet Saturday evening at the resilength of about 12 feet and requires 100 pounds of lead for each joint, by special castings of curved lengths it has been possible to wind the main either latterly or vertically wherever Miss Alice Purvis, Miss Harriet Purvis, Mrs. Annie Medadow, Mrs. Ida dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus et staturday evening at the rest-dence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachus e terested in the matter, will be present.

A PROTEAN OPINION.

How the Parnell Report Suits Everybody and Prove Both Sides Right. Lucy Smith, Mrs. Wesley Snead, Dr. Charles Stowell, Mrs. Fannie Reed Stowell, Mrs. James

From the New York Sun's London Cable. If we may judge from editorial views ex-pressed in the great newspapers of the united kingdom and Ireland the report of the Parnell commission is a masterpiece of diplomacy. Newspapers of all shades of political opinion profess to be entirely satisfied with its findings, proving their own cases from points in their favor, and entirely ignoring what is said against them. The Times itself still believes the report will be accepted by the public as entirely confirming its assertions. The Standard says it entirely convicts Parnell and his associates of all the public ever believed against them, while the Daily News declares the innocence of the defendants to be absolutely vindicated. The Pall Mall Gazetts asserts it a glorious victory, and the Star says it is clearly a verdict of not guilty for Parnell and his fellows. The Manchester Examiner says the report warrants all the charges brought against the nationalists. while the Manchester Guardian congratulates the Irish leaders on escaping scatheless. The Liverpool Courier says all right-thinking men ought to be driven away from Parnell's shady connections, while the Liverpool Post holds that the Times' case has completely broken down and the Liverpool Mercury, says Parnell comes out without a stain. The New York Herald, says the report is a complete verdict of guilty, while the Newcastle Leader says it is practically an acquittal. The Birmingham uzette says the charges are proved up to the hilt, while the Bristol Mercury says Parnell's glory is more brilliantly and clearly proved than ever. The Edinburgh Scotsman says Mr. Parnell cannot be congratulated on the result while the Scottish Leader says he has supremely triumphed. The Freeman's Journal of Dublin says it is an absolutely crushing judgment against the Times, while the Dublin Express says the moral weight of the verdict against the defendants is undeniable-and so on throughout the length and breadth of the land. Every paper is perfectly satisfied with the re-port and argues the conclusion arrived at from its own particular point of view.

Mrs. Mary Wright Sewell some time near midnight announced the feast of reason to fol-Toast, "St. Susan, Our Valentine, one day

A Result of Russian Prejudice. Louis Rubenstein, America's champion figure skater, who defeated all competitors the other day at St. Petersburg, will not receive first prize after all. Last night the Montreal Ga-Rhymes, "Susan's Wedding," by Margaret zette received a special cable from St. Petersburg as follows: "Rubenstein, though defeating competitors, has been refused first prize; "American Womanhood," by Laura Ormisjudges changing minds, though announcing Rubenstein champion when competition was finished." This result is due entirely to Rubenstein being a Jew. In a letter to his family a week before the contest came off he expressed fears that his religion would interfere with his "Courage in Public Life," by Senator Blair.
"Miss Anthony at Home," by Mrs. Marsh gaining the prize. The matter has been brought to the attention of the cabinet at Ottawa, and Sir John Macdonald and Secretary of State Chapleau say that the thing will be looked into.

A Compliment to Mr. Reed.

From the New York Sun. Thomas D. Reed, an enterprising agent of the Appletons in this city, recently found himself in a very embarrassing, although lucky, situation a few days ago while innocently pursuing his daily labor. Soon after the delegates to the Pan-American congress reached Washington Mr. Reed concluded that the gentlemen would be glad to invest in Appleton's new "Dictionary of American Biography." At the first opportunity the work, with the capvasser's card attached, was laid before the delegates. for the cause. Two things had occurred to card While not personally interested in the work, they concluded that it was policy to invest, and upward of \$1,000 worth were purchased. But Reed was not yet satisfied and made another raid, this time on the delegates whom he had not met during his first visit. Upon his second venture the canvasser encountered a Mexican, upon whose mind he endeavored to impress the great importance of the work for quick "Oh. yes," the delegate said, "I dare say it is a very important work, but the sales you made mistaken they come out frankly and say so. Go

when you were here before were made under a your cause they will quickly come to your as- misapprehension." "I don't understand you, sir," said Mr.

"Well, the facts are that the delegates who James McDonald is a young man in East bought your books felt that it was incumbent Washington who has been arrested many times.

Saturday when Policeman Hodges made an arwere Speaker Thomas B. Reed of the House of rest James came along and said to the prisoner:
"Don't go; he can't take both of us." The
officer proved a better man than James thought

> A Forger Arrested in Germany. Detective Heidelberg of the Central New York detective bureau arrived in Berlin yesterday to take charge of Loewenherz of the New York leather firm of Loewenherz & Landsburg, who is charged with issuing fraudulent notes to the extent of \$21,000. It appears to be ex-tremely doubtful whether extradition papers will be granted.

A RUSSIAN'S DOUBLE CRIME. Love and Smuggled Diamonds Lead to Murder and Suicide.

Isaac Jacob of Brooklyn killed Herman Rov-

ozinsky at daybreak yesterday morning in a houses to any one man was issued today to Mr. T. F. Schneider, who took out permits for the stable at 47 Ridge street, New York. From erection of fifty-two bouses at an aggregate there he went to the murdered man's residence. 54 Ridge street, to kill his wife Johanna. She was coming through the door as he approached and he shot her with a revolver. The ball entered her neck close to the jugular vein. Her eighteen-year-old son Otto leaped at the murderer of his father before a second shot could be fired. Jacob turned and fled, but seeing two police officers approaching placed the muzzle of the revolver to his own temple and fired. He fell to the ground and died in a few minutes. Mrs. Royozinsky ran toward the Delancey street police station. She had just strength to reach it, when she fell unconscious on the floor. The police followed her bloody trail, and were just in time to witness the last act in the

Various causes led to the shooting. The trouble began three years ago. At that time Jacob is said to have smuggled \$7,000 worth of diamonds into this country and, fearing dis-Lusk, who has charge of the water department covery, turned the diamonds over to the mur-dered man to keep for him. When the danger was over Jacob asked for the return of the diamonds. Royozinsky, it is said, refused to give them up. This led to a quarrel and Jacob threatened the other's life. Another cause is found in the fact that Jacob was enamored of Royozinsky's niece. His suit prospered until it was learned that he had a wife and children living with him in Brooklyn. Then they refused to allow him to enter the house and Jacob became furious.

Jacob went to the house at 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning, knocked on the door and told the Royozinskys that somebody was trying to steal their horse. The elder Royozinsky is an expressman. He dressed himself, and, accompanied by Jacob, crossed the street and entered the stable, which was just over the way. In the stable yard Jacob placed a revolver against straight in a couple of weeks and the people of Royozinsky's breast and fired. The ball through Royozinsky's heart and he fell dead without a word. The wounded woman was taken to the hospital in a precarious condition. The bullet entered her neck and was taken out nalf way down her back. On Jacob's dead body was found a letter written in very bad nglish. It is said that he was born in Russia and was a citizen of the United States. He

> which profited him nothing. Ohio Sues the Union.

cold of having been swindled out of money and

of law suits in which he was engaged and

Attorney General Watson of Ohio is coming o Washington tonight on business of financial importance for Ohio. This state now has a suit pending in the United States courts against the general government to recover the sum of \$400,000. The ground for the suit existed prior to 1812, the time of the admission of Ohio as a state. During the territorial days Congress authorized a compact by which certain lands were to be exempt from taxation, and upon the payment of a certain sum of money by the territorial government the federal government agreed to build the federal road from the Atlantic ocean to the Mississippi. The road was started at Cumberland, Md., and brought west over the Allegheny mountains, passing through Ohio by way of St. Clairsville, Columbus and Springfield. The road was completed as far west as some part of Illinois and abandoned. Now the claim is made that by reason of the failure on the part of the national government to complete the road the state has a right to recover the amount named, and for this purpose suit was entered several months ago. torney general will examine the records thoroughly that a correct understanding may be

A \$2,000 Horse Stolen.

Rob Roy, a \$2,000 trotter, with a record of 2:20 to his credit, was stolen, as it is alleged, about three weeks ago from the stable of his owner, Patrick Sheridan, a councilman and exdence of Mr. W. D. Cabell, 1407 Massachusetts tax collector of Elizabeth, N.J. On Friday avenue, when the subject of the proposed uni- night Mr. Sheridan found his missing trotter Brooklyn, and when his demand for its return was refused he went to the stall in which the horse was tied, and, taking him by the head, started to lead him from the stable. He took this course on the advice of his lawyer. The superintendent of the stables had him arrested and taken to the Butler street police station, where he handed the sergeant more than \$4,000 and several valuable diamonds for safe keep

Willie Saved the Train. As the 11:55 o'clock south-bound passenger train on the West Shore railroad was approach-

ing a forbidding-looking rock cutting near Kingston, N.Y., Saturday the engineer noticed a lad standing on the track frantically waving big red bandanna. As the train came to a standstill the boy was

asked what was the matter.
"Big rocks on the track in Fitch's cut," he breathlessly piped out. The engineer ran forward and found a large quantity of rock and dirt covering the south-bound track. He realized that had it not been for the quick-witted boy he and the passengers might have been the victims of an accident. The passengers, grate ful for their narrow escape, made up a purse of money for the brave boy. The name of the brave youngster is Norman Smith, aged eight and one-half years, a son of William Smith of

The Sawtelle Mystery.

Thousands of people yesterday visited the locality near Rochester, N.H., where the dismembered body of Hiram A. Sawtelle was unearthed. There were no startling developments, but many minor matters have been der brought to light strengthening the chain of evidence against the murdered man's brother Isaac. The body was fully identified. The theory that the murder was committed in New Hampshire is supported by the statement made by John Willey, a logging team driver, who says that he passed a carriage supposed to have contained Hiram and Isaac in the pine woods and a few minutes afterward heard three shots in succession. A number of other people say that they heard the firing. The missing head has not yet been found.

Why She Was Impatient. From the New York Ledger.

As a Boston horse-car was going north the other evening, with a young lady and an old gentleman as sole passengers, the maiden exhibited symptoms of impatience at the slow progress made. The car had to halt for a team on the track, and she would have got off but for the gentleman, who said: "It's only for half a minute-don't be impatient." car waited two minutes on a switch, and she put her head out of the window, then got out salked up and down, and was on the platform when he said: "There comes the other car. You seem

impatient that I am led to believe that some of your family are sick. Is it so?" "They are all unusually well," she replied, as she took her seat again. One block more and the car left the track.

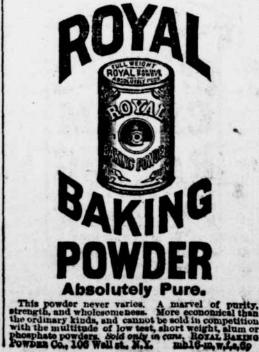
She waited half a minute to see if it could be hauled on again right away and then she started

"It will be all right in a minute," protested the old gentleman. "Can't see it," she curtly replied.

"Then you will go?"
"I will." "And it isn't sickness?"

"See here," she said, standing on the lower step, "if you are dying to know the cause of my hurry, I will tell you. My beau is to be at the house at 8:30 and I'm not going to run the risk of losing a good offer for all the old men and all the street cars in the world. There Does that make you feel any better?" The old man pondered it as the car slewed around and bounced and bobbed and he con-

cluded that she was perfectly correct, though ; little impudent.



AUCTION SALES.

TOMORROW. DUNCANSON BROS., Auctioneers. SPECIAL SALE OF FURNITURE, CARPETS, MIR-RORS, MATTRESSES, PILLOWS AND BOL-STERS SPRINGS, KITCHEN REQUISITES, &c., &c., REMOVED TO OUR SALES BOOMS FOR CONVENIENCE OF SALE. On TUESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY EIGHT-EENTH, 1890, commencing at TEN O'CLOCK AM., We will sell within our sales rooms, corner of 9th and D streets, the above partly mentioned collection of Goods, to which we invite attention. UNCANSON BROS., Auctioneers.

LARGE COFFEE MILL OIL PUMP, GLASS WARE, CBUCKERY, WOUDEN WARE, CALICOS, HOSIERY, NOTIONS, SHOW CASES, SCALES AND WEIGHTS, SHELF GOODS, ETC. BEING ENTIRE CONTENTS OF STORE REMOVED TO OUR SALES ROOMS FOR CONVENIENCE OF SALE. SALE. On TUESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY EIGHTEENTH, 1890, COMMENCING AT TEN O'CLOCK, we will sell within our sales rooms, 9th and D sts. n.w., the above partly enumerated stock of goods to which attention is called. 115-2t RATCLIFFE, DABB & C.)., Auctioneers, 920 Pennsylvania ave. n.w.

ATTRACTIVE SALE OF FINE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, MIRKORS, PIANOS, ORGANS, &c., TO BE SOLD WITHIN OUR COMFORTABLE SALES ECOMS, 920 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE NOBTH-WEST, TUESDAY MORNING,
FEBRUARY EIGHTEENTH.
COMMENCING AT TEN O'CLOCK.
OUR SALE THIS WEEK EMBRACES a handsome collection of goods suitable for Parior, Chamber, Library and Dining Room, towether with a fine assortment of Office Furniture, to which we invite the attention of parties in search of such goods.
N.B.—All goods sold within the rooms. NO STREET DISPLAY.
RATCLIFFE, DARR CO., Aucts., f15-2t
920 renn. ave.

THOMAS DOWLING, Auctioneer.

IMPORTANT SALE CATALOGUE OF A

ORIENTAL CARPETS, RUGS AND HANGINGS.

LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF

Embracing some of the rarest TURKISH TEXTILES, BOTH MODERN AND ANTIQUE, EVER IMPORTED. THE SALE WILL TAKE PLACE AT

MY ART ROOMS.

ELEVENTH ST. AND PENNA. AVE., TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 19 AND 20, AT 11 A.M. AND 3 P.M. EACH DAY.

EXHIBITION MONDAY, 17TH, DAY PRIOR TO This is a Very Important Consignment and should command the attention of Parties desiring elegant floor and window decorations.

THOMAS DOWLING,

PINEST BUILDING LOTS ON FOURTEENTH STREET NEAR R STREET NORTHWEST, FRONTING FIFTY FEET ON FOURTEENTH.

FRONTING FIFTY FEET ON FOURTEENTH.
On TUESDAY AFTERNOON, FEBRUARY EIGHTEENTH, AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK, we will sell, in front of the premises, the finest Building Lot in that section, being
LOT 8, SQUARE 239,
having a front of 50 feet on 14th street and running back to a 20-foot alley. This Lot can readily be subdivided into smaller building lots and worthy the attention of private parties and builders.
Terms: One-third cash, balance in one and two years, notes to bear six per cent interest, payable semi-ses; or all cash, at option of purchaser. A deposit of \$250 required at time of sale. Conveyancing, &c., at cost of purchaser. Terms to be complied with in fifteen days, otherwise right reserved to resell at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser, after five days' public notice of such resule in some newspaper published in Washington, D.C.
fill-d&ds DUNCANSON BROS., Auctioneers. THREE FINE BUILDING LOTS ON THIRD BE-TWEEN G AND H STREETS NORTHEAST, NEAR H STREET CARS. ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, FEBRUARY NINETEENTH, at FIVE O'CLOCK, we will sell in front of the premises

Lots 20, 21 and 22, sq. 777,

each lot fronting 20 feet on 36 street east. This property is opposite the square now being improved by new Brick Houses built for Senator Sherman and it the immediate vicinity of H street cars, convenient to Behools, churches, &c.
Terms: \$3,087.30 to be assumed by the purchaser Terms: \$3,087.30 to be assumed by the purchaser, balance cash. A deposit of \$200 required at time of sale. Conveyancing, &c., at purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with in ten days, otherwise right reserved to resell at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five days' public advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D.C. fel4-d&ds DUNCANSON BROS., Auctioneers. FINE PROPERTY ON SIXTH STREET NEAR F NOATHWEST, BEING HOUSE NO. 609 SIXTH STREET, BETWEEN F AND G. ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON, FEBRUARY TWENTIETH, AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK,

FUTURE DAYS. THOMAS DOWLING, Auctioneer.

SPECIAL SALE OF GROCERIES,

WINES AND LIQUORS,
EMBRACING IN PART

TIFTEEN CHESTS TEA. SEVEN BARRELS MOLASSES, WINES, WHISKIES AND BRANDIES
IN GLASS, COFFEE ESSENCE, MUSTARDS,
PICKLES, FIFTY CASES PEARLINE, ONE
HUNDRED CASES LAUNDRY COAP, DIFFERENT BRANDS, MATCHES, RED SEAL LYE, B.
B. BUCKETS, BROOMS, FINE CHEWING
TOBACCO, BLUING, BREAD SODA, COFFEE
BINS, EMPTY DEMIJOHNS, &c., &c.

ON FRIDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY TWENTY
TWENTIETH, AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK,
We will sell in front of the premises part of
Lot 4. Square 487.

fronting 26 feet 9½, inches on Sixth street with a depth of 93 feet 4½ inches, and improved by a Twostory Frame Dwelling House. This property being adjacent to 5 street makes it very desirable for improvement, or can remain as now, under rental; a very desirable location and advancing in value.

Terms: One-third cash, balance in one and two years notes to be secured by deed of trust on premises, or all cash, at option of purchaser. A deposit of \$250 required at time of sale. Conveyancing, &c., at purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with in 15 days, otherwise right reserved to resell at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five days' public notice of such resale in some newspaper publisted in Vashington, b.C.

114-days DUNCANSON BEOS., Auctioneers.

my suction rooms, I shall sell a fine line of Standard Groceries (removed to my suction rooms for convenience of sale). The attention of the trade is particulary directed to this sale.

THOMAS DOWLING,

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WALTER B. WILLIAMS & CO., Auctioneers.

ON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY TWENTIETH, 1890; AT TEN O'CLOCK, WE WILL SELL IN STORE 3045 M STREET, GEORGETOWN, THE ENTINE STOCK, CONSISTING OF CHINA, GLASSWARE, TINWARE, SHOW CASES AND SMALL LOT OF FURNITURE, &C., &C. TERMS CASH. f17-3t WALTER B, WILLIAMS & CO., Aucts.

GEO. W. STICKNEY, Auctioneer, 936 F st. PAREMPTORY SALE OF VERY VALUABLE IM-PROVED PROPERTY, BEING HOUSE No. 1307 RIGGS STREET NORTHWEST.

RIGGS STREET NORTHWEST.

I will offer for sale in front of the premises on THURSDAY the TWENTIETH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1890, at HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., all o' Lot numbered 29, in Jno. B. Clagett's subdivision of certain Lots in aquare 239, improved by a 3-story and Basement Brick House containing ten rooms.

Terms easy and made known at time of sale, \$100 deposit.

GEO. W. STICKNEY. f17-d&ds "HOMAS DOWLING, Auctioneer.

SPECIAL AND PEREMPTORY SALE OF FINE

CARRIAGES, SOME OF WHICH ARE BEING SOLD FOR STORAGE AND REPAIRS. On WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY NINETEENTH, 1890, at ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M., in front of my sales rooms I will sell—

1 Satin and Morocco-lined Coupelette, with shafts and pole, in splendid condition. Cost \$1,500.

| M. C. Spring Coupe. | Canopy-top Natural-wood Wagon. | Fine Landaulette. | English Two-wheel Cart.

1 Extension-top Carriage,
1 Side-bar Buggy, Doctor's Phæton.
1 Hyland Buck Board, Dog Cart, &c.
TO WHICH WILL BE ADDED
1 pair of fine black Horses.
1 Landaulette by Cunningham.
1 set English Gold-mounted Double Harness, &c.
Terms cash.

THOMAS DOWLING, Auctioneer.

GEO. W. STICKNEY, Auctioneer, 936 F st.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE IMPROVED PROPERTY IN THE SUBDIVISION OF BARRY FARM, FRONTING ON SHERMAN AVENUE, IMPROVED BY WELL RENTED HOUSES.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust, recorded in Liber No. 1423, folio 331 et seg., one of the land records for the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, I will offer for sale, in front of the premises, on SATURDAY, the FIFTEENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1890, AT HALF. PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P. M., the following described property in the county of Washington, District of Columbia, to wit: All of lot 16, in section 3, of the subdivision of Barry Farm estate, as made by the trustees thereof, now on file in the office of the surveyor of the District of Columbia, except lot 43 and the west one-half of lot 45 of a recent subdivision of said lot 16.

Terms of sale: One-third cash and the balance in One (1) and two (2) years with, interest at the ret of

said lot 16.

Terms of sale: One-third cash and the balance in one (1) and two (2) years with, interest at the rate of six (6) per centum perannum, payable semi-annually, and secured by deed of trust on the property sold, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser: \$100 deposit required at time of sale; all conveyancing and recording at purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with in 10 days, or the property will be resold at risk and cost or defaulting purchaser after 5 days' advertisement in some newspaper published in the city of Washington.

WILLIAM A. RIMMEL, f5-codtds

Trustee.

DAY, THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1890, same hour and place.

WILLIAM A. KIMMEL, f17-m,tu&th ART GALLERIES RATCLIFFE, DARR & CO.

Catalogue Sale of a Superb and Highly Important

TREE EXHIBITION RATCLIFFE, DARR & CO.'S GALLERIES,
920 PENNSYLVANIA AVE. N.W.
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1890,
TO BE ABSOLUTELY SOLD WITHOUT RESERVE.
AT THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20.
PUBLIC FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21.
AUCTION SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22.
Mornings at 11 o'clock.
Afternoons

ngs at 11 o'clock.

RATCLIFFE, DARR & CO., Aucts. RATCLIFFE, DARR & CO., Auctioneers.

NEARLY NEW BRICK DWELLING, No. 436 I

STREET NORTHWEST.

On THURSDAY AFTERNOON, FEBRUARY
TWENTIETH, AT FIVE O'CLOCK, we will sell in business center and an elegant opportunity for investment or as site for one's own use.

Terms: One-third cash, bulance in one and two years, with notes bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, secured by deed of trust, or all cash, at option of purchaser. Terms to be compiled with within 15 days from day of sale, otherwise the right is reserved to resell the property at the risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five days' public advertisement in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C. A deposit of \$200 required at time of sale. All conveyancing and recording at purchaser's cost. TWENTIETH, AT FIVE O'CLOCK, we will sell in front of the premises.

PART LOT 9, SQUARE SOUTH OF SQUARE 516, Fronting 17 6-12 feet on I street between 4th and 5th streets and improved by a nearly new Brick Dwelling with modern improvements.

This property is advantageously situated and worthy the attention of investors.

Terms: One-third cash, balance in one and two years, notes to bear interest at 6 per cent, payable semi-sanually, and to be secured by deed of trust on premsea sold, or all cash, at option of purchaser. Conveysancing, &c., at purchaser's cost. A deposit of \$200 at time of sale. Terms to be complied with in fifteen days, otherwise right reserved to reach at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five days' advertisement of such resaic in some newspaper published in Washington, D.C.

AUCTION SALES.

FUTURE DAYS. CEO. W. STICKNEY, Auctioneer, 936 F st. TRUSTEES' SALE OF VERY VALUABLE PROP-ERTY ON THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SIXTH AND F STREETS NORTHEAST, IM-PROVED BY TWELVE THREE-STORY BRICK HOUSES.

PROVED BY TWELVE THREE-STORY BRICK HOUSES.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust recorded in Liber No.1391.folio 146 et seq..one of the land records for the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, we will offer for sale in front of the premises on WEDNESDAY, the TWENTY-SIX? H DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1890, at HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., the following-described property in the city of Washington, District of Cotumbia, to wit: All of Lots 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31 of Carusi and Miller's, trustees, subdivision of original Lots 10, 11 and 12 in square eight hundred and thirty-five (835), as the plat of the same is duly recorded in Book 16, page 107, of the records of the urveyor's office for the District of Columbia.

Terms: Property sold subject to a deed of trust to secure \$1,350 on each lot with interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, one-half of the purchase money in excess of said deeds of trust in cash, and the balance in six (6) mouths with interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, and secured by deed of trust on property sold, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. \$100 deposit on cach lot will be required at time of sale. All conveyancing and recording at purchaser's cost. Terms to be compiled with in 15 days, or resold at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five days' advertisement in The Evening Star.

[14-eo&ds JOHN T. ARMS.] Trustees. REBUUSS II NN ER SS

GEO. W. STICKNEY, Auctioneer, 936 F st. TRUSTEES' SALE OF VERY VALUABLE PROPERTY IN SQUARE 878, IMPROVED BY SIXTEEN TWO STORY HOUSES, FOUR ROOMS EACH, SITUATE ON NAVY COURT, REAR OF NINTH STREET, BETWEEN G AND I SOUTHEAST.

EAST.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust recorded in liber No. 1385, folio 262 et seq., one of the land records for the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, we will offer for swis in front of the premises on THICRSDAY, THE TWENTY-SEV.
ENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1890, AT HALF-PAST FOUR, O'CLOCK P.M., the following described property, situate in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, to wit; All of Lots 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111 and 112 in Oliver Cox's recorded subdivision of lots B to F in square 878.

Terms of sale: One-third cash and the balance i

Terms of sale: One-third cash and the balance in one (1) and two (2) years with interest at the rate of six (6) per centum pyrannum, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser; \$250 deposit will be required at time of sale. All conveyancing and recording at purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with in fifteen days. If terms of sale are not complied with the property will be resold at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five days' advertisment in the Evening Star.

C. M. ARMSTRONG, Trustee, f12-cotods

12 East Fayette st., is altimore, Md.

RATCLIFFE, DARR & Co., Auctioneers, 920 Pennsylvania ave. n.w.

IRON SAFE, ICE BOX, COUNTERS AND SHELV.
ING, COUNTER, PLAIFORM AND BUTCHER'S
SCALES, FARM AND BUTCHER'S TOOLS
SMALL LOT GROCERIES, HORSE, WAGON,
FAMILY CARRIAGE, HARNESS, &c. &c., AT

AUCTION.
On WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY NINE-TEEN, 1890, beginning at TEN O'CLOCK, we will sell at the store, corner Road and Buchanan streets, Anacostis (or Uniontown), all the roods, &c., men-tioned above and to which we invite attention. f15-dts RATCLIFFE, DARK & CO., Aucts.

PEREMPTORY AUCTION SALE OF HORSES, CAR-RIAGES, AND DOG CART AT 933 TWENTY. FIFTH STREET, BETWEEN I AND K STREETS NORTHWEST.

On WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY NINETEENTH, 1890, beginning at TEN O'CLOCK A.M., we will per-emptority sell at public auction, in front of the above

And to this sale we invite the attention of persons it search of such stock.

Terms cash.

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RATCLIFFE, DARR & CO., Aucts.

RATCLIFFE, DARR & CO., Auctioneers.
920 Fennsylvania ave. n.w.

BOOK DEPARTMENT, BATCLIFFE, DARR & CO., Auct loneers, 920 Pa. ave. n.w.

RATCLIFFE, DARB & CO., Auctioneers, 920 Ps. svc. n.w.

RATCLIFFE, DARR & CO., Auctioneers.

named premises,
1 HORSES,
1 LANDAU,
1 JUMP-SEAT CARRIAGE,

108, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111 and 112 in Oliver Cox's recorded subdivision of lots B to F in square 878.

Terms: Property sold subject to a deed of trust to secure \$400 on each lot, with interest at the rate of six (6) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, one-half (3) of the purchase in excess of said deeds of trust in cash and the balance in 6 months, with interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, secured by a deel of trust on the property sold, or all cash, at the option of purchaser; \$50 deposit on each lot will be required at time of sale; all conveyancing and recording at purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with in 15 days or resale at risk and cost of denaulting purchaser after five days' advertisement in the Evening Star.

JOHN S. SWORMSTEDE: from the sworn tabular statements showing the average daily circulation of the paper during the year 1889, published in THE STAR on the 18th of January, 1890. JOHN S. SWORMSTEDT. Trustees. Briefly stated, the points upon which the above claim is based are these: That-

GEO. W. STICKNEY, Auctioneer, 936 F st. lation of any other paper in Washing-TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VERY VALUABLE UNIM-PROVED PROPERTY. SITUATED AT THE JUNCTION OF FOURTEENTH STREET EXTENDED AND SPRING STREET, IN THE COUNTY OF WASHINGTON, D. C.

By virtue of a deed of trust, recorded in Liber No. 1348, folio 356, one of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, I will offer for sale, in front of the premises, on MONDAY, the TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1890, AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described property in the county of Washington, D.C., known and described as Lots numbered from one (1) to forty-four (44), in J. C. Lewis' subdivision of part of Pleasant Plains, situate on the north of Spring street, at the point of union with 14th street extended, excepting the portion of lots 6 to 21 inclusive, heretofore alienated, being the property conveyed by deed recorded in Liber 1225, folio 368, and by deed recorded in Liber 1271, folio 439.

Terms of sale: One-third cash and the balance in TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VERY VALUABLE UNIM ton! 2. The Star's circulation in Washings ton h double that of all the other daily

papers published in the city added to 3. The Star has a larger and fuller circulation in the city where printed, in proportion to reading and purchas-

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F®INTS.

THE EVENING STAR is offered to the pub-

lie, in good faith and with confidence, as THE

BEST LOCAL ADVERTISING MEDIUM IN

THE UNITED STATES. In point of fact, it

may be truthfully said that it is without an

equal in this respect any where in the world.

These averments are borne out by the figures

given below, which are compiled from the

sworn weekly statements printed in the paper

on each Monday in the year, and condensed

1. The Star has three times the circu-

ing population, than any other newspaper in the world!!! 4. The Star has the largest regular and permanent home circulation of any two-cent afternoon paper in the

United States !!!! In support of these claims and to show the constantly increasing circulation of the paper,

attention is invited to the figures following: DAILY CIRCULATION IN 1885-86-87-88-89.

1885, 1886, 1887, 1888, 1889, JAN... 20,486 23,388 25,470 26,386 27,841 FEB... 22,029 24,321 26,299 27,161 29,200 MAR...25,549 25,594 26,009 27,490 34,766 APR... 22,572 24,727 25,575 27,166 29,852 MAY .. 22,474 24,359 25,742 26,722 29,616

JUNE.. 21,933 23,902 25,116 27,453 30,173 JULY.. 21,406 23,186 24,870 26,363 29,650 Aug...21,445 22,364 24,859 25,521 28,595 SEPT. 21,033 22,302 24,905 25,324 25,478 Oct...21,497 21,701 24,807 25,946 30,329 Nov... 22,049 23,651 25.6 DEC...23,600 24,687 26,466 26,752 31,653

Av'ge. 22,123 23,682 25,484 27,082 30,090 Increase 1,559 1,803 1,598 3,008

Of this remarkable average aggregate of 30,090 copies circulated daily, no more than 1,102 copies are sent out of the city by mail, and 1,106 go to suburban places, by express, railway trains, etc., leaving as a net circulation in the city proper the PHENOMENAL PRO-PORTION of 92% PER CENT, or AN AGGRE-GATE of 27,882 copies! Of this number, 21,142 were delivered daily by regular carriers at the homes of permanent sub-

The remaining 6,740 copies represent the sales

over the office counter, at the news stands, and by newsboys. But of this latter number a very large proportion is supplied regularly to permanent residents of the city living in lodgings, &c. (not householders), so that its whole circula tion may be literally said to be in the family circle. While its aggregate circulation therefore gives THE STAR a distinctive and enviable position in modern journalism, the fullness of its home circulation, the extent to which it is relied upon by members of the household, and particularly by the purchasing portion of the community, are the marked characteristics of the paper, to which no other daily journal now

TRUSTEES' SALE OF A VALUABLE TWO-STORY
BRICK DWELLING, No. 2011 PORTNER PLACE
NORTHWEST.
By virtue of a deed of trust duly recorded in Liber
No. 1366, fo.ho 18, et seq. one of the land records of
the District of Columbia, and at the request of the
party secured thereby, we will sell at public auction in
front of the premises on MONDAY AFTERNOON,
FEBRUARY TWENTY-FOURTH, A.D. 1890, AT
HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK, all that certain pace or
parcel of land and premises known and distinguished This is no idle boast on the part of the paper. It is a well established fact, demonstrated to the full satisfaction of the sagacious and enterprising business men of Washington, who seek HALV-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK, all that certain piece or parcel of land and premises known and distinguished as being lot number one hundred and twenty-six (126) in Portner's subdivision of part of square number two hundred and four (204), as said subdivision is recorded in book number fourteen (14), folio one hundred and fifty-eight (158), of the records of the surveyor of the said District, together with all the improvements, ways, easements, rights, privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining.

The above property will be sold subject to an incumbrance of about \$1,800 with interest at 5% per cent per annum (which will be fully stated at time of sale.)

Terms: One-half cash (over and above the encumbrances), balance in six and twelve months with 6 per cent interest, payable semi-annually, secured by deed of trust on property sold, or all cash, at option of purchaser. If the terms of sale are not complied with in ten days from day of sale the Trustees reserve the right to resell the property at the risk and cost of the detaulting purchaser after five days' advertisement in some newspaper published in Washington, D.C. A deposit of \$200 required upon acceptance of bid. All conveyancing, &c., at cost of purchaser.

Total Conveyancing, &c., at cost of purchaser. and know where to find THE LARGEST RETURNS FROM THE MONEY PAID OUT FOR ADVERTISING. This is proven by the growth of THE STAR'S advertising patronage. Nothing can more surely illustrate the esteem in which any article is held by the public than a constantly increasing demand for it-day by day, week by week, month by month, and year by year,-in the face of adverse claims and pretentions competition. The figures following tell the story on this point:

published can furnish a parallel.

1885. 1886. 1887. 1888. 1889. JAN.....2.785 3,200 3,615 4,076 4,586

NUMBER OF NEW ADVERTISEMENTS PRINTED IN

FEB.....2,824 3,064 3,847 3,924 4,529 MAR ... 3,195 3,806 4,669 4,603 5,494 APRIL .. 3,679 4,355 5,478 4,986 5,884 MAY 3,868 4,197 5,395 5,171 6,033 JUNE 3,474 3,938 4,522 4,606 5,529 JULY....3,063 3,235 3,381 3,915 4,483 AUG 2,600 2,582 3,170 3,508 4,604 SEPT....3,810 4,208 4,517 4,904 5,889 OCT4,514 4,879 5,313 5,412 6,589 Nov 3,849 4,250 5,038 4,689 6,107 DEC.....3,835 3,896 5,093 5,007 5,795

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF LAW LIBRARY, OFFICE FURNITURE, &c., OF NEHEMIAH H. MILLER, DECEASED.

By virtue of an order of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, bolding a special term of said court for Orphans' Court business, paissed in the matter of the estate of Nehemiah H. Miller, deceased, the undersigned, as administrator or said estate, will sell AT PUBLIC AUCTION on THURSDAY AND FRIDAY EVENINGS, the TWENTIETH AND TWENTY-FIRST DAYS OF FEBRUARY. 1890, COMMENCING AT HALF-PAST SEVEN OCLOCK, AT THE AUCTION ROOMS OF MESSRS RATCLIFFE, DARR & CO., No. 920 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE (SOUTH SIDE), BETWEEN NINTH AND TENTH STREETS NORTHWEST, the Law Library of said Nehemiah H. Miller, consisting of well-selected text books on various law subjects; also American and English Reports, among which are the American Decisions, American Reports, American State Reports, Burrows' Reports, Cowper's Reports, Durnford and East Reports, Feast Reports, Johnson Law and Chancery (New York) Reports, Maddox Chancery Reports, all the Reports of the Court of Appeals of Maryland, Reports of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia. Metcalf Reports, Paige's Reports, and other Reports; and also Cylinder Rolling Top Desk, Book Casea, Revolving Book Case, Chairs, Iron Safe of Miller Patent, Russ and other Furniture; and also a Certificate for 50 Shares of \$20 each of the capital sack of the Opecols water company. Catalogues of the Books and Furniture can be had at auction rooms of Messra Ratcliffe, Darr & Co., or office of the undersigned. TOTAL 41,499 45,910 54,038 54,801 65,529 But it is not alone in numbers that the great increase of advertising is shown. The larger space required for advertisements during the year 1889 as compared with that occupied in 1888 is even more striking.

The average daily space filled by advertisements in 1888 was 25.10 columns, or 7779 columns for the year; whereas for the year 1889 the daily average was 29.75 columns, or 9223 columns in the aggregate, being a total gain over the previous year of 1444 columns! And this, it must TWO TWO-STORY FRAME HOUSES AND LOTS ON
FIFTH STREET BETWEEN LAND M STREETS
NORTHWEST AT AUCTION.
On THURSDAY AFTERNOON, FEBRUARY
TWENTIETH, 1800. AT HALF-PAST FOUR
O'CLOCK, we will sell in front of the premises
THE SOUTH 42 FEET 3 INCHES OF LOT 12, IN
with a depth of 120 feet to a 30-foot alley, and improved by two Two-story Frame Dwellings. This property is convenient to markets, street-car lines and the business center and an elegant opportunity for investment or as site for one's own use.

In conclusion, it is only necessary to say that,

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When Mrs. Hooker had given her poem "Auld Lang Syne," the whole company arose and sang two verses in a very stirring fashion, and at the close of all Miss Anthony was loudly called for and made an appropriate speech. One of the brightest after-dinner speeches was that by Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton, in which she displayed a power of subtile humor which would have done honor to Chauncey M. Senator Blair said in the course of his remarks that Mrs. Stanton had asked him if he could think of anything new they could do

women were a power, and the other was to

to go down into the south with their best

southern people are generous and quick to ac-

knowledge it if they find they are wrong," he

do not try to maintain and hold to errors they

have committed. When they find they are

among them, and when they see the justice of

officer proved a better man than James thought

course, would not go without resisting, and it only added to his trouble, for in addition to a charge of vagrancy the officer charged him with resisting arrest. This morning James was given ninety days for vagrancy and was fined

Rev. Sam Jones announces that he will soon move with his family to his farm near Eminence, Ky.

him to be, and both were taken. James

#10 for the resistance.

"They are not like us of the north; they

"The

speakers and to overcome all prejudice.